

A BIG HIT!

THE large crowd in attendance at the I. Harris Sale last Saturday demonstrated what confidence and good treatment will do. We take this means of thanking everybody for their patronage and extend a cordial invitation to all to come and see the many **BARGAINS** in High Grade **MERCHANDISE** to be had at our store.

\$2.50 Manhattan Shirts . . . **\$1.98**

\$2 00 Manhattan Shirts . . . **\$1.70**

\$1.50 Manhattan Shirts . . . **\$1.25**

Wilson Bros. Shirts . . . **98c**

3.00 Beacon Hats, made by Knox Mfg. Co., all new spring shapes . . . **\$2.50**

HOLE-PROOF HOSE—6 pairs in a box, guaranteed to last six months. At, per box . . . **\$1.25**

Excellent NIGHT SHIRTS . . . **59c**

ARROW BRAND COLLARS, straight, . . **10c**

OTHER BARGAINS too NUMEROUS to MENTION. CALL and SEE THEM

I. HARRIS

The Home of Good Clothes — Satisfaction or Your Money Back

Destroyer Jenkins Launched.

Bath, Me., April 29.—The torpedo boat destroyer Jenkins was launched today at the yards of the Bath Iron works. The Jenkins is a sister ship to the Jouett, which was recently launched at the same yards. She is 293 feet long and will have a speed of 29.5 knots. The Jenkins was named in honor of the late Rear Admiral Thornton A. Jenkins, who was known as "the father of the lighthouse

board." Miss Alice Thornton Jenkins of Washington, D. C., a daughter of the late Rear Admiral, performed the christening ceremony at the launching.

B. P. O. Eiks.

Called meeting tonight at 8 o'clock sharp at Masonic hall, Business of importance. S. M. TORBETT, E. R.

The News Shop for Job Work.



Good Teeth

are just as essential to beauty as they are to good health, and there is no getting over the fact that they are essential. It only requires a little time, a little care, and a bottle of

Rexall
ANTISEPTIC
TOOTH POWDER

to insure the possession of perfect teeth. Rexall Antiseptic Tooth Powder will make your teeth pearly white, sweeten your breath, cleanse your mouth and give a refreshing sense of cleanliness to your whole mouth.

It's a particular favorite with all our customers, and all who take a pride in having their mouth just right should use Rexall Antiseptic Tooth Powder. 25c.

A New One

We have recently added a new number to the Rexall family, Rexall "93" Hair Brush. This is a fine Bristle, set in Pneumatic Rubber and is a very fine Brush for the scalp. It is not so liable to irritate the scalp as a number of other styles and used in connection with Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and Rexall Shampoo paste, will destroy Dandruff, and scalp Eczema very readily.

The price of Brush — A — is \$1.25, "93" Hair Tonic 50c and \$1 00 bottles, and Shampoo Paste 25c a jar.

Gwin-Mays Drug Co.

TIMBERLAKE COMES BACK

REPLIES TO ARTICLES AND SHOWS SOME MORE FIGURES.

To the Editor of the News:

I was pleased to read "Facts and Figures" in the Citizens Gazette of April 27, 1912, and Beard replies to Citizen in the Evening News of same date. The writers have attempted to express their views in a clear way and if they were correct in their conclusions I would be against the charter.

Will say before going further that I belong to no click nor gang and have not as yet had any occasion to need a campaign manager.

Do not know who started the agitation for the charter. Petition was presented to me for signature and I signed without asking any questions.

Some of my friends asked me afterwards how I stood on the question and I told them that I was in favor of a charter but was afraid that we could not get one written under which we could operate at a less expense than under our present form. Suggested that we vote to have one submitted and adopt it if it was better than our present form if not to reject it.

Now when the Citizens Gazette first appeared with an article asserting in very positive terms that the cost would be just \$4500 more than under our present form, I over came my timidity and replied giving figures showing an actual saving.

Publishers came back with "A Frog Pond Blunder" in which he started a search for motives actuating some of those favoring the charter. Feeling that he had departed somewhat from his declaration to refrain from personalities I probably used a different tone to my article on handling the city funds to what I had at first intended.

Now "Business Manager" I apologize to you for the tone used in remarks, but not for the facts which I attempted to state. No not try to confuse the voter by "hollering" bank! When I attempt to show him where he is losing out in the present manner of handling the city funds and that he would secure larger returns under our charter. My dear "Business Manager" I would not think of saying anything to reflect on your good bank whose excellent showing speaks more for its sound, conservative management than anything I could say. I personally do not care a snap of my finger where the city funds are deposited, but as a taxpayer I wish to see the city handle them to its own best advantage.

Writing for the papers is a new experience to me and I am beginning to feel that I am a very poor writer or that the opponents of the charter are very, very dull.

"Facts and Figures" says he can not see the difference between 3 per cent and 6 per cent. After I had gone to all that trouble, I will wager him \$10.00 to a stale doughnut with an overgrown center, that should I offer him that contract for the handling of his own funds he would see the difference before signing up.

I will try to explain a little more fully by having Johnnie Jones figure a little.

Question—Johnnie have been going to school?

Answer—Yes, sir.

Q. Can you figure interest?

A.—Yes, sir, I am in the fifth grade.

Q.—What is the difference between 3 per cent and 6 per cent.

A.—3 per cent, sir.

Q.—How much would the interest on \$2000 be for a year at 3 per cent.

A.—\$600.00, sir.

Well now is that no plain. No you say I did not state the matter fairly. Alright will have him figure some more.

Q.—Johnnie if the City of Ada deposits on daily balances \$25,000 in the bank at 3 per cent per annum and leaves it there a year how much money will the city have at the end of one year.

A.—\$25,750.00, sir.

Q.—Now suppose the city of Ada issues its warrants for \$20000.00 at the same time it makes the deposit and arranges with the bank to cash it at 6 per cent per annum how much

would it take to pay the warrant at the end of the year.

A.—\$21,200.00, sir.

Q.—Now Johnnie tell the gentleman how much money the city of Ada would have in the bank after paying its warrant.

A.—\$4,550.00, sir.

Q.—Now Johnnie suppose the City of Ada had cashed this warrant itself by writing a check on its account at the bank, how much would it have in the bank at the end of a year.

A.—Why \$5,000.00 and interest at 3 per cent for one year or \$5,150.00, sir.

Q. Which arrangement would prefer?

A.—The latter of course.

Correct Johnnie you may go. Now Mr. Beard touches on this matter and says that it might be corrected under the present form by the council passing proper laws. Mr. Beard is probably a little careless here as elsewhere in his statements. I agree with him it can be done but disagree with him as to the necessity of any new laws. Will say, however, if any new laws are desired the council is and has at all times been ready to co-operate with the officer who has funds in charge for the city's best interest. Under our charter Mr. Beard there could be no difference between us on this matter. We would both know that the commissioner of finance and accounting was to blame and he could not dodge it.

Now lets take up the matter contained in the articles mentioned at first.

In reply to Mr. Beard's statement, he insinuates that Citizen is careless system, the Commissioner of Finance in his statements or intends to deceive the voter, etc., also seems to attempt to tell the voter that he, Mr. Beard, has come to his decision against the charter after giving the matter some consideration. Citizen will not accuse Mr. Beard of trying to deceive the voter but will attempt to prove to the voter that Mr. Beard has been deceived by his own ignorance of the matter under discussion.

Now, he accepts figures on the commissioner of public justice and safety so we will pass this.

Now he questions the next department, Finance and Accounting.

Before taking this up Citizen will submit his credentials and will say that his name will be signed hereto. Citizen feels that he should know something about this department as it is in his line. Citizen has held responsible office positions since he was

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LYRIC Airdome

TO-NIGHT

4,000 FEET

5 Subjects

PROGRAM.

By the House that Jack Built—Drama.

Cupid the Conqueror—Comedy-Drama.

Fools Head, Telegraph's Errand Boy—This is a side-splitter.

The Bottle Milk—Comedy.

Missionary's Gratitude—Drama.

Owing to bad weather Saturday night we will have our same program for tonight. 4000 feet—Come and see it.

Watch for our sensation FRIDAY NIGHT

Our Vacuum Cleaner is at

your service.

\$1.00 Per Day.

SMITH'S

Lifetime Furniture.

COMMISSION FORM IS GREAT SUCCESS

SECRETARY OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SAYS ENID IS HIGHLY PLEASED.

The opponents of commission government have been holding Enid up as a horrible example of the working of the new system, and have been spreading the report that the people are attempting to throw it off as too burdensome to be borne. Indeed, a letter from some of the old gang was published to that effect the other day. If there is a man in town who has its best interests at heart, it is surely the secretary of the chamber of commerce who is in touch with everything connected with its advancement. Therefore, the News presents the following letter from Will H. Scarff, secretary of the Enid Chamber of Commerce, from which it will be seen how groundless are most of the charges made by the opposition. Says Mr. Scarff:

Enid, Okla., April 26, 1912.

Mr. A. H. Burgess, Ada, Okla.

Dear Sir:—Your favor of the 25th asking regarding the workings of Commission form of government as compared with the old form of ward aldermen received and I take pleasure in informing you that our citizens are well pleased with the new system of running our city in a business way on business principles instead of politics. We have found a few things in our charter that need correcting but that is of minor importance and will be attended to. As to taxes here you might easily be misled, for they have not been reduced and may show a slight increase. Under the old system the council did not comply with our laws to create a sinking fund to take care of outstanding bonds, while the commissioners are complying with the law and taking care of the sinking fund in other words we are no wringing our city as you would run your business, and as the people gradually realize the importance of cutting politics out of city affairs, they will pay more attention to the qualifications of the men they elect to fill the offices, instead of voting for a man because he is a "good fellow," regardless of his ability. Our commissioner who has charge of water works has replaced our inadequate system with a system in keeping with our needs, and we now have an inexhaustible supply, and instead of costing us over 7 cents per thousand gallons to pump, it now costs us about 1-2 cent per thousand gallons. We are fast paying off the old debt against the water fund and in another year not only be able to pay for large extensions to consumers but we expect our rate to be cut in half. The saving in this department alone has been enough already to pay salaries of commissioners for several years to come. I was one of the councilmen on the last ward council and the improvement is very apparent to me. No intelligent person who is acquainted with the workings of the two systems can defend the ward councilmen plan against Commission Form of government. Pick out good men, well qualified for the positions, pay them for their time and hold them personally responsible for the workings of their departments. The city's business is larger than any other business in the city and you should use the same caution and judgment in picking men to run your city that you would in running your own individual business. When you do this you have commission form of government. I forgot to say that the new plan does away with wards and each commissioner is an alderman at large. I am mailing you a marked copy of one of our papers which will show you that a wrong impression has gone out as to the success of the plan in Enid. Of course there are a few of the old grafters that would like to see the ward council system return.

Very truly,

WILL H. SCARFF.

500 free vacation trips this summer for everybody. This is not a contest. Everyone gets a trip. For full particulars write before the 500 are all made up. Vacation Manager, 500 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Ok.

Can You Use Any of These?

Large size, beautifully decorated china salad and berry bowls, worth up to 50c in the regular way, on sale Tuesday and Wednesday. 15c

Tuxedo Hats for the children. We received this new line Saturday direct from the manufacturer and they are just as cute as they can be, these we can sell also at 15c

Fresh Salted Peanuts, this week, per pound. 10c

Fresh Marshmallow drops, this week per pound 10c

One lot No. 1 Zion City Val Lace still on sale at per yard 5c

One lot No. 1 Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps in patent leather, gun metal, only\$1.50

Big new line of parasols just received and the prices right.

We Respectfully Solicit Your Business

Shaw's Nickel Store
THE GONGING CASH DEPARTMENT STORE
S. M. SHAW, Prop.

KODAK TAKE A KODAK



with you. Everything for Kodakery at our store. We keep a fresh supply of all sizes of Films.

RAMSEY DRUG CO.

The News Shop for Job Work. The News Shop for Job Work.

You Want a Perfect Figure



EVERY WOMAN DOES But most women need help to make their figures perfect. The new

KABO

"The Live Model Corset" Has done wonders in solving this problem by giving perfect lines of the ideal woman's figure to the various models of this famous corset.

Each Kabo model is fitted and fashioned over the figure of a beautifully formed living model.

All Kabo Corsets Are Guaranteed Non-Rustable Throughout

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The People Who Put The Price Down
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Vaples Platter Grocer Co., Ada, Okla.

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G. M. ANDERSON, IN

S. & A. Latest Western Feature

"A Road Agent's Love"

One of the most exciting and sensational Western pictures ever staged
Way out of the ordinary

BIOGRAPH FEATURE

"The Root of Evil"

A decidedly original drama with an unusual story.

To-Night! AT THE DeSota!

THANHOUSER

"My Baby's Voice"

Featuring the THANHOUSER KID, HARRY BENHAM and MISS SNOW. When we state that a picture features the above people, you know that the picture is among the best. The scenes are beautiful—the story one that can't be beat. A THANHOUSER means business for us.

"THE JOY RIDE"

We endeavor to arrange our programs so that they will be suitable to all. Tonight we present a strong drama by the STRONG CO. and the above comedy, "The Joy Ride," by a good company. There is class to this program.

ORCHESTRA

ORCHESTRA—playing that SWEET music.

WANTS

FOR SALE—Quick Meal range and child's bed, cheap. Apply at 723 S. Broadway. 20-dtf

FOR RENT—Residence, five rooms and bath, corner Broadway and 18th, Mrs. Browall. 20-tf

FOR RENT—Four room house west 13th, well good water, barn, \$10.00 per month. Mrs. Browall. 20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—1 good two-story 12 room house with well, barn and garden, 3 lots, corner 13th and Cherry. See W. C. Rollow. 19-6t

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms. Apply to Mrs. U. G. Winn. 15-tf

WANTED—All kinds of curtains to laundry. Have a stretcher that enables me to fix them up like new ones. Mrs. Sparkman, 605 East Main. 312-dtf

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, one block from the city hall. Phone 397, Mrs. S. T. Williams. 265-tf

While in Holdenville Sunday the News man met up with J. C. Jones, who is now running the Scott hotel. Mr. Jones has lost none of his interest in Ada affairs and subscribed for the News to keep informed.

The News Shop for Job Work.

* S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS *
* Are one of the most beautiful *
* fowls and winter egg layers *
* known. Eggs \$1.50 per setting. *
* JOHN THRASHER *
* 611 W. Third St. Ada, Okla. *

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ADA ADA, OKLA., APRIL 18, 1912

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$184,437.02
Overdrafts	866.99
Bonds, Securities, etc.	26,385.22
United States Bonds	17,500.00
Bank Building, Furniture and Fixtures	17,190.44
Other Real Estate	1,000.00
Cash on hand and with other banks	122,926.21
TOTAL	\$370,305.88
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	15,540.94
Circulation	17,500.00
Reserved for Taxes	795.35
Deposits	276,469.59
TOTAL	\$370,305.88

The above statement is correct.

M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier

"Ford" will save you money on your plumbing work. Estimate free. 7-12t

Col. J. M. Taylor spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. Ollie Gay was down yesterday from Holdenville.

See B. B. Howard for all kinds of tin work. Phone 256 166-dtf

E. L. Steed went to Tupelo today. County Surveyor Truitt left today for Stonewall and Franks.

Always got all kinds of paint at lowest prices at Dr. Holley's Drug Store. 229-tf

Mrs. W. E. Allen of Bromide, Ok., visited Miss Clyde Allen yesterday.

Percy Simpson was a Konawa visitor yesterday.

Mrs. O. W. Morgan returned yesterday from an extended visit to Cooper, Texas.

Sign painter's muslin at Ada Trading Co. 4-tf

Misses Carmer Dallas of Konawa, Corrine Hardin and Miss Kennedy of Tecumseh visited the normal Saturday.

Miss Bernice Williams who taught in the city schools this year returned to her home in Bentonville, Ark., via Paris, Texas.

The News Shop for Job Work

Warning!

Do not throw away your old clothing when you can trade them on a new suit or sell them for cash. We buy, sell and exchange new and second hand clothing.

WE PAY TOP PRICES.

No Trouble to Call

JUST PHONE
326

PLUMLEE'S PRESSING PARLOR

118 South Broadway

The Lyric air dome opens this evening. Read its program.

For Quick Messenger Delivery, on bicycle, phone 326 or 46. CARLOS BRENTS. 19-3t

While at Holdenville Sunday the News man had the pleasure of dining with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White, who recently moved from Ada. Mr. White and Mr. Shaw are building up a good business in their new store there.

You Should Vote

In the way that will bring the most good to the most people, without regard to selfish interest. But buying goods is a different matter. In private affairs you should consult your own welfare. When buying Dry Goods your Own self interest demands that you investigate OUR Goods and prices.

Stevens-Wilson Co.

OUTFITTERS TO THE WHOLE FAMILY.

108-110 WEST MAIN ST.

TELEPHONE 473.

Rinard can fill your wants in staple and fancy groceries. Give him a trial. 19-tf

Mike Cassidy, Fred Gay, Cesta Gay, Yandell Lain and Mr. Woods went to Francis yesterday.

Ask for Gwin's Favorite Cream—25c and 50c. 303-tf

Tom Roff spent Sunday in Roff. Mr. Gish of Francis was in Ada yesterday.

If you will investigate you will find that Rinard has an up-to-date stock of groceries. 19-tf

Miss Helen Myers spent Sunday in Ahloso.

Miss Ruby Baker returned last night from Stonewall.

Finest line of Chocolates in Ada at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Miles Grigsby is unable to be at his station on the News force today on account of illness.

Rev. Brooks will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Sulphur High school.

Miss Diamond who spent the week end with Miss Fausta Durham returned to her home in Holdenville yesterday.

Attend the entertainment at the city hall tonight. Benefit of the Methodist parsonage fund. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

Rev. T. P. Turner presiding elder of the Durant district and Rev. Jas. W. Rodgers of Madill are guests of Rev. Brooks.

The weather forecast for today was fair and cloudy weather promised for Tuesday. Evidently the guesser got his dates mixed.

Good farm for sale close in to Ada. Three miles. Two sets houses, good water. Will sell at a bargain and give good terms. See F. O. Harriss over Rollow building. 310-dtf

Word came this morning that Mrs. A. K. Boggs, wife of a well known conductor on the Frisco, was drowned Sunday near Monnett, Mo., while attempting to cross a swollen stream.

Attention Royal Arch Masons. There will be a called convocation of Ada Chapter No. 26 R. A. M. on Tuesday evening the 30th, at 7 o'clock p. m. sharp for work in the mask and past master degrees. A full attendance is desired and all visiting companions are cordially invited.

F. C. SIMS, H. P. D. W. SWAFFAR, Secy.

Two cents per pound for clean cottons at the News office.

DAUGHTER OF JUDGE AND MRS. GRIGSBY

Saturday evening little Marguerite, the five-year-old daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. E. Grigsby, died of acute pneumonia. The little one was taken ill about twelve hours before her death, and the suddenness of the shock completely prostrated the family. The funeral and interment took place Sunday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. A. M. Dupree. Death indeed leaves a shining mark, and often plucks from the garden the fairest flower of the home. The parting brings anguish, but the hope of a bright reunion in a better world sustains the sorrowing ones even in their darkest hours.

The News joins the other friends of the family in extending sympathy, barren though it be in the hour of sorrow when words only sound hollow.

Sunday was Educational Rally day at the First Methodist church. At the morning hour Dr. R. S. Hyer delivered a most remarkable address on Christian Education. At the evening hour Dr. S. F. Goddard delivered an address on the same theme. Dr. Hyer is president of the Southern Methodist university at Dallas. Dr. Goddard is president of the Methodist college at Muskogee.

An Unusual Amount of Painting Done This Spring.

"Everything comes to those who hustle while they wait" seems to be the motto adopted by our energetic merchants, Ramsey Drug Co., for they have certainly been hustling this spring.

In backing up their excellent advertising in the columns of the Evening News their handsome window displays have proved most effective. According to a conversation with one of our reporters there has been an unusual amount of painting done in Ada, Okla., this spring. That's a sign of prosperity we're very glad to see.

This week floor paint is the leader in their window. How an old scratched floor or a marred bare floor can be given a hard, serviceable, easily-kept-clean surface is, clearly shown by the sample they display.

Attend the entertainment at the city hall tonight. Benefit of the Methodist parsonage fund. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

To Our Neighbors.

We desire to extend our thanks to our neighbors who so generously and kindly rendered their assistance and extended their sympathies during the brief illness and burial of our little daughter Marguerite.

No sentiment is more touching and deserving of appreciation than that which springs from the pure and unselfish regard and respect one's neighbors have for him. We would rather have the respect and genuine good will of our neighbors than any other thing we know of. Some how we have it written in our philosophy that those little kindnesses budding in the heart, expanding and bounding into spontaneous acts of unbridled sympathy will reach a great way in estimating our true worth. Again allow us to sincerely thank you.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. GRIGSBY.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and laws of the State of Oklahoma, and an ordinance passed and approved by the Mayor and City Council on the 1st day of April, 1912, there will be held in the City of Ada, Oklahoma, a special election on the 30th day of April, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City, the question:

"Shall the City of Ada adopt the Charter prepared and proposed by the Board of Preenolders heretofore elected on the 4th day of January, 1912, and published in the Ada Weekly News, a weekly newspaper, for three consecutive issues, beginning on the 21st day of March, 1912, and ending on the 4th day of April, 1912." Said question shall be placed upon separate ballot and voted upon at such election.

Said election shall be held at the following places, to-wit:

First Ward at City Hall.
Second Ward at Ada National Bank Building.
Third Ward at Travelers Hotel.
Fourth Ward at Collins Concrete Building, 12th street.

The following named judges and clerks for each of said polling places are hereby appointed to conduct said election:

First Ward—J. T. Higgins and E. R. Banks, Judges; and John W. Beard and B. E. Timberlake, Clerks.
Second Ward—J. H. Wood and J. C. Van Meter, Judges; and R. E.

Piano

Are Not a
more, but

a Necessity

No young lady can complete education now without a course in music on a PIANO.

We have a houseful of all grades. Terms as low as \$25 down and \$8 per month.

111 W. MAIN L. T. Walters.

The Reason

We can truthfully say Our Business Has Shown a Phenomenal Increase the past year that we doubt being another business of any kind in the city that equal our record.

Now There Is a Reason for This That Explains Itself.

If we had not sold *Honest Goods at Honest Prices* with polite and prompt attention, we could not have shown gain. At our store your prescriptions will be filled by a man of good habits, experience and thorough knowledge his profession.

OUR MOTTO:
"Only the Best"

Your friends are our customers; why not You? Get it!

Jones Drug Company

The Cheerful Corner Drug Store.

ADA, OKLA.

Condensed Statement of Merchants & Planters State Bank

ADA, OKLAHOMA
at the Close of Business, April 18, 1912.

Loans and Discounts	\$107,138.49	Capital Stock	\$30,000.00
Overdrafts	509.68	Surplus	1,500.00
Warrants	13,940.92	Undivided Profits Less Expenses Paid	7,966.71
Furniture and Fixtures	3,495.84	Reserved for Taxes	587.35
(Advanced on Grain)	2,000.00	DEPOSITS	15,440.82
(Bill of Exchange, Cotton)	7,772.84		\$19,524.88
(Cash and Sight Exchange)	64,607.11		
	74,379.95		
	\$199,524.88		

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT.

C. H. RIVES, President.

H. P. REICH, Cashier.

Blanks and S. W. Hill, Clerks.

Third Ward—Martin Hively and A. J. Deaton, Judges; and John H. Jones and J. C. Chapman, Clerks.

Fourth Ward—G. P. Carney and W. H. Fisher, Judges; and R. O. Wheeler and H. A. Sprague, Clerks.

The polls at said election shall be opened at the hour of Six O'clock in

the forenoon of said day, and closed at the hour of Seven O'clock on the afternoon of said day.

Given under my hand and seal of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, this 18th day of April, A. D., 1912.

(Seal) S. E. CHAPMAN, Mayor.
Attest: W. B. JONES, City Clerk.

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New Spring Suits MEN'S AND BOYS'

We invite you to come in and see them

MEN'S PRICES:

7.50, 10.00, 12.50, 15.00
17.50, 20.00, 25.00

BOYS' KNICKERBOCKERS

1.95, 2.45, 2.95, 3.50, 3.95
5.00, 6.00

A. S. Hoover

ONE PRICE CLOTHIER

East Main. Opposite Harris Hotel. Ada, Okla.

Buy Flour
Under this Brand
you need have no
fears about the
quality.
CHANCELLOR
Flour is always
tested before it
leaves the mill.
Why **CHANCELLOR** is
guaranteed.
a Trading Co.

Notice.
who are not already reg-
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ing places of the city.
A. R. SUGG,
County Election Board.

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on sale May 3, 4, and
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s in Alabama, Florida,
Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi,
North and South Carolina, Ten-
nessee and Virginia.

JOIN THE SPECIAL TRAIN MAY 4TH
Extra tourist sleeper and chair
car will leave Ada May 4th at
4:12 p. m., going via Oklahoma
City, Rock Island to Memphis,
Frisco Birmingham, and South-
ern Railway, arriving at Macon
at 7:00 a. m. May 6th.

The Official Route From Oklahoma
Service Recently Abandoned Through
Memphis, Account High Water, Now
Positively Resumed
Arrange with local agent for
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commodations.

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ADA, OKLA.
C. O. JACKSON, D. P. A.
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TRADEPEOPLE ARE AT YOUR
CALL AND THE MEANS FOR SUM-
MONING IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE
DAY OR NIGHT IS AT HAND, IF
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HOLDENVILLE WELL PLEASED

COMMISSION GOVERNMENT IS GIV-
ING EMINENT SATISFACTION.
CAN GET RESULTS.

THE TESTIMONY OF CITIZENS

City Administration on Business Bas-
is—No Comparison With Old
System.

Ever since the fight for commission government opened the opposition has very generally admitted that although it might be preferable to the aldermanic form in large cities, in smaller places it is necessarily a failure on account of the added expense. Being anxious of ascertaining the exact facts in the matter, the editor of the News went to Holdenville Saturday afternoon for the purpose of getting information first hand. The new form took effect about a year ago, and although the writer talked with the most representative men of the city, not one was found who would talk for a minute about going back to the old form. One man said that the only thing he could object to under the present form was the fact that commissioners were inclined to be too economical.

The charter of Holdenville provides for three commissioners with the same official designations as those in the Ada charter. They are paid a salary of \$1,200 each. The writer asked particularly about the additional help employed and found that the entire force of assistants consisted of just one man, who for a salary of \$60 per month acts as clerk for all three, aids with collections and other duties. That does not well match the fairy tales that have been told at Ada about the great clerical force that the commissioners will employ. Of course the new system has been in force for only a year, but the results accomplished during this time have been sufficient to give the people of the city ample confidence and pride in its achievements.

The writer called at the city hall and interviewed L. Walker, city attorney, and W. R. Scott, commissioner of finance. Mr. Walker gave a glowing account of what the commissioners had done. When they took charge they found an old warrant indebtedness of \$10,800 with pending claims amounting to \$2,300 more. The city warrants were a drug on the market at 10 and 20 per cent discount, yet, in this short period of time the credit of the city has been restored and confidence has been created to an extent that every bank in Holdenville takes up the warrants at par, a statement borne out by the bankers themselves. "The great trouble under the aldermanic form," said Mr. Walker, "was that the work and responsibility was so badly scattered that it was not looked after properly. Often it was impossible to get a quorum of the council, and even then it was hard to get action. Now since the commissioners have taken charge, they are always right there on the job and with the entire responsibility on their shoulders, they know they must act and they never hesitate. The commissioners work hand in hand with the chamber of commerce and some effective results are being brought about."

Mr. Scott with becoming modesty did not boast of the work of himself and colleagues, but gave a few results accomplished. Not only did they make provision for taking care of the city's back indebtedness, but they also managed to reduce the tax levy very materially. Last year under aldermanic form the city and school tax rate totaled 22 1-4 mills. This year it is 15 1-2 mills, and the city is not running behind, either. As an example of their economical administration, the commissioners managed to get a new contract out of the light company whereby the city now pays \$2,000 per annum for lights against \$2,700 under the old regime. The water department was in bad shape, many being two and even three years delinquent. The commissioners lost no time in collecting up this back rent. The waterworks system is now in splendid shape, declared both Mr. Walker and Mr. Scott, and for the first time in history is more than self-sustaining. Even the dog tax ordinance has been enforced, and instead of about \$40 under the old form, the commissioners have already collected \$145 and killed 56 dogs.

Of course opponents of commission government will say that Mr. Scott being a commissioner and Mr. Walker being an appointee are not unpre-

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duced witnesses, so we will now turn
to the private citizens among the rep-
resentative men of the town.

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largest property owners and tax pay-
ers of Holdenville, was one of the
prime movers for the charter form. He
saw that something was needed
to bring order out of chaos and after
giving the matter close study, circu-
lated the petition for the charter. He



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admitted that he did not get the men
elected as commissioners that he
wanted, but at the same time he
says they have made good and that
he is more firmly convinced than ever
that it is the only form of govern-
ment. "I would not swap it for any-
thing," he declared. "Even a poor
commission is better than the old or-
der of things. I have not heard a
word against the present form."

John Gilliland, president State Na-
tional bank: "You will make no mis-
take in adopting the commission form.
It is the logical plan and if it is
not a success it is the fault of the
people themselves. We get results a
great deal better than under the al-
dermanic form."

Dr. J. D. Scott: "Am highly pleas-
ed and haven't heard a man kick
against it."

A. J. Edmonston, abstractor: "Am
well pleased; it works fine. If there
is any complaint it has been kept
quiet."

C. C. Leach, register of deeds and
candidate for sheriff: "It is all right
and giving good satisfaction."

G. L. Benson, cashier Farmers State
bank: "It is O. K. I would fight a
great deal harder against going back
to the old form than I did for the
adoption of the commission plan."

L. T. Sammons, president of the
American National Bank: "Finest
think I ever saw. The city's business
is now run just like that of a bank.
I think, however, that the salaries of
the commissioners should be \$1,800
per annum to always insure getting
good business men."

Mr. Sammons is
one of the board of inspectors who
examines and checks up the books of
the commissioners every quarter and
makes a public report of its findings.
Senator Warren: "Am well satisfied
and have not heard a complaint."

Dr. J. P. Williams: "I endorse it
heartily."

J. R. Dutton, druggist: "It is the
only form of government for a town."
J. D. Boxley, real estate: "Very
satisfactory. It is all right."

N. B. Fagin, president First Na-
tional bank: "The city is under a
business management under commis-
sion form, and is not under the old
form. I would not go back to it at
all."

W. M. Taylor, grain dealer and
member of city council for several
years: "No comparison between the
forms. Would not go back at all."

T. T. Godfrey, ex-president First
National bank: "No question about
commission form being better than
the aldermanic. I think perhaps the
present commissioners may have been
a little too economical sometimes."

W. S. Levan, city clerk, also spoke
highly of the working of the system,
but of course the opponents of the
plan at Ada will say he is not a com-
petent witness.

TIMBERLAKE COMES BACK

(Continued from page 1.)

16 years of age and has been very
closely connected with the city gov-
ernment of Ada for the past eight
years. His information has come first
hand, furthermore his only desire in
this discussion is to let the voter
know the truth about the cost under
the charter.

Citizen has studied the arrange-
ment for this department carefully
and unhesitatingly states that with
present volume of business, after the
department with proper system has
been installed the business can be
handled by a \$1,500 man. (Now mind
you our charter names a salary of
\$1,500 and attempts to provide duties
accordingly.) I have made no pro-
vision for assistant here for I do not
think he will need it except occasion-
ally some help from a stenographer
in the matter of getting up reports
and the like. The additional help
spoken of by Mr. Beard as being re-
quired at present will take care of
this.

One of the articles wants informa-
tion on the estimated savings of \$480
in water works department. I rather
expect I have placed this low, and if
saved it is due entirely to our most
excellent charter. The commissioner
of finance and accounting is required
to collect the revenues in the water
department and keep records for the
department. Now at present this work
is done by bookkeeper at so much per
hour or by the superintendent who is
drawing \$85.00 per month. Now look
Mr. Beard, this commissioner is also
the \$720.00 man which we all know it
will be necessary to have at the wa-
terworks office at all business hours,
fits in pretty well when you know
how to do it. Does it not?

Now I agree with you that the last
department is the most important to
the taxpayer and while it may not
show any big saving as operated un-
der the charter so far as actual salar-
ies paid, the biggest saving in all
the city's business can be made right
here in the operation of the water-
works department, street department
and engineering department.

Both of you "romp" on me

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about \$600 for city engineer. Let me
ask you both a question. Do either
one of you know anything more
about the duties of this department
requiring technical ability, than the
"man in the moon?" Now that is
simple; answer it. You were so posi-
tive about this that I thought I had
better brush up for frankly I had in
mind that \$250 would cover this cost.
Not for a man's while time, but for
such time as the city required. Now
I submitted the following question to
our city engineer: "How much of your
time is taken up with technical work
that a man of ordinary intelligence
could not perform?" His answer was:
"Not to exceed, at the very outside
20 per cent."

Oh! you are both great investiga-
tors. Now as to the \$600 estimated in
street commissioner's department I
will allow you that rather than go
into any further discussion.

Now I could bring up several items
more that justify me in making the
statement that the city can save un-
der the charter at least \$2000 on ex-
penses as handled under the alder-
manic form for the past year.

Now gentleman both of you know
that there is no sense in raising such
a howl about assistants when the com-
missioners would have no more pow-
ers along that line than the council
has at present.

I had hoped that "Business Manag-
er" gave me credit for more sense
than to resign a good position to run
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resign my position charter or no
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nish you with Fresh Milk.
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board." Miss Alice Thornton Jenkins of Washington D. C., a daughter of the late Rear Admiral, performed the christening ceremony at the launching.

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TIMBERLAKE COMES BACK

REPLIES TO ARTICLES AND SHOWS SOME MORE FIGURES.

To the Editor of the News:

I was pleased to read "Facts and Figures" in the Citizens Gazette of April 27, 1912, and Beard replies to Citizen in the Evening News of same date. The writers have attempted to express their views in a clear way and it they were correct in their conclusions I would be against the charter.

Will say before going further that I belong to no click nor gang and have not as yet had any occasion to need a campaign manager.

Do not know who started the agitation for the charter. Petition was presented to me for signature and I signed without asking any questions.

Some of my friends asked me afterwards how I stood on the question and I told them that I was in favor of a charter but was afraid that we could not get one written under which we could operate at a less expense than under our present form. Suggested that we vote to have one submitted and adopt it if it was better than our present form if not to reject it.

Now when the Citizens Gazette first appeared with an article asserting in very positive terms that the cost would be just \$1500 more than under our present form, I over came my anxiety and replied giving figures showing an actual saving.

Publishers came back with "A Frog Pond Blunder" in which he started a search for motives actuating some of those favoring the charter. Feeling that he had departed somewhat from his declaration to refrain from personalities I probably used a different tone to my article on handling the city funds to what I had at first intended.

Now "Business Manager" I apologize to you for the tone used in remarks, but not for the facts which I attempted to state. No not try to confuse the voter by "hollering" bank! When I attempt to show him where he is losing out in the present manner of handling the city funds and that he would secure larger returns under our charter. My dear "Business Manager" I would not think of saying anything to reflect on your good bank whose excellent showing speaks more for its sound, conservative management than anything I could say. I personally do not care a snap of my finger where the city funds are deposited, but as a taxpayer I wish to see the city handle them to its own best advantage.

Writing for the papers is a new experience to me and I am beginning to feel that I am a very poor writer or that the opponents of the charter are very, very dull.

"Facts and Figures" says he can not see the difference between 3 per cent and 6 per cent. After I had gone to all that trouble, I will wager him \$10.00 to a state doughnut with an overgrown center, that should I offer him that contract for the handling of his own funds he would see the difference before signing up.

I will try to explain a little more fully by having Johnnie Jones figure a little.

Question—Johnnie have been going to school?

Answer—Yes, sir.

Q.—Can you figure interest?

A.—Yes, sir, I am in the fifth grade.

Q.—What is the difference between 3 per cent and 6 per cent.

A.—3 per cent, sir.

Q.—How much would the interest on \$2000 be for a year at 3 per cent.

A.—\$600.00, sir.

Well now is that no plain. No you say I did not state the matter fairly. Alright will have him figure some more.

Q.—Johnnie if the City of Ada deposits on daily balances \$25,000 in the bank at 3 per cent per annum and leaves it there a year how much money will the city have at the end of one year.

A.—\$25,750.00, sir.

Q.—Now suppose the city of Ada issues its warrants for \$20000.00 at the same time it makes the deposit and

would it take to pay the warrants at the end of the year.

A.—\$21,200.00, sir.

Q.—Now Johnnie tell the gentleman how much money the city of Ada would have in the bank after paying its warrants.

A.—\$4,550.00, sir.

Q.—Now Johnnie suppose the City of Ada had cashed this warrant itself by writing a check on its account at the bank, how much would it have in the bank at the end of a year.

A.—Why \$5,000.00 and interest at 3 per cent for one year or \$5,150.00, sir.

Q.—Which arrangement would prefer?

A.—The latter of course.

Correct Johnnie you may go.

Now Mr. Beard touches on this matter and says that it might be corrected under the present form by the council passing proper laws. Mr. Beard is probably a little careless here as elsewhere in his statements. I agree with him it can be done but disagree with him as to the necessity of any new laws. Will say, however, if any new laws are desired the council is and has at all times been ready to co-operate with the officer who has funds in charge for the city's best interest. Under our charter Mr. Beard there could be no difference between us on this matter. We would both know that the commissioner of finance and accounting was to blame and he could not dodge it.

Now lets take up the matter contained in the articles mentioned at first.

In reply to Mr. Beard's statement, he insinuates that Citizen is careless system, the Commissioner of Finance in his statements or intends to deceive the voter, etc., also seems to attempt to tell the voter that he, Mr. Beard, has come to his decision against the charter after giving the matter some consideration. Citizen will not accuse Mr. Beard of trying to deceive the voter but will attempt to prove to the voter that Mr. Beard has been deceived by his own ignorance of the matter under discussion.

Now, he accepts figures on the commissioner of public justice and safety so we will pass this.

Now he questions the next department, Finance and Accounting.

Before taking this up Citizen will submit his credentials and will say that his name will be signed hereto. Citizen feels that he should know something about this department as it is in his line. Citizen has held responsible office positions since he was

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SECRETARY OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SAYS ENID IS HIGHLY PLEASED.

The opponents of commission government have been holding Enid up as a horrible example of the working of the new system, and have been spreading the report that the people are attempting to throw it off as too burdensome to be borne. Indeed, a letter from some of the old gang was published to that effect the other day if there is a man in town who has his best interests at heart, it is surely the secretary of the chamber of commerce who is in touch with everything connected with its advancement. Therefore, the News presents the following letter from Will H. Scarff, secretary of the Enid Chamber of Commerce, from which it will be seen how groundless are most of the charges made by the opposition. Says Mr. Scarff:

Enid, Okla., April 26, 1912.

Mr. A. H. Burgess, Ada, Okla.

Dear Sir:—Your favor of the 25th asking regarding the workings of Commission form of government as compared with the old form of ward aldermen received and I take pleasure in informing you that our citizens are well pleased with the new system of running our city in a business way on business principles instead of politics. We have found a few things in our charter that need correcting but that is of minor importance and will be attended to. As to taxes here you might easily be misled, for they have not been reduced and may show a slight increase. Under the old system the council did not comply with our laws to create a sinking fund to take care of outstanding bonds, while the commissioners are complying with the law and taking care of the sinking fund. In other words we are no running our city as you would run your business and as the people gradually realize the importance of cutting politics out of city affairs, they will pay more attention to the qualifications of the men they elect to fill the offices, instead of voting for a man because he is a "good fellow," regardless of his ability. Our commissioner who has charge of water works has replaced our inadequate system with a system in keeping with our needs, and we now have an inexhaustible supply, and instead of costing us over 7 cents per thousand gallons to pump, it now costs us about 1-2 cent per thousand gallons. We are fast paying off the old debt against the water fund and in another year not only be able to pay for large extensions to consumers but we expect our rate to be cut in half. The saving in this department alone has been enough already to pay salaries of commissioners for several years to come. I was one of the councilmen on the last ward council and the improvement is very apparent to me. No intelligent person who is acquainted with the workings of the two systems can defend the ward councilmen plan against Commission Form of government. Pick out good men, well qualified for the positions, pay them for their time and hold them personally responsible for the workings of their departments. The city's business is larger than any other business in the city and you should use the same caution and judgment in picking men to run your city that you would in running your own individual business. When you do this you have commission form of government. I forgot to say that the new plan does away with wards and each commissioner is an alderman at large. I am mailing you a marked copy of one of our papers which will show you that a wrong impression has gone out as to the success of the plan in Enid. Of course there are a few of the old ward council system men.

Very truly,
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W. O. PRATT.

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T. W. ROBISON.
W. T. MELTON
T. F. PIERCE (Re-election.)

For County Treasurer:
RIT ERWIN (Re-election.)

For County Weigher:
JOHN WARD
SHERWOOD HILL (Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Ada, Precinct:
H. J. BROWN
T. O. CULLINS

For Co. Commissioner, Dist. No. 1:
HENRY KROTH
M. L. HUNT

For Co. Commissioner, Dist. No. 2:
GEO. W. MONTGOMERY (Re-Election)

For County Judge:
CONWAY O. BARTON (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
R. C. ROLAND
B. C. KING

For Representative:
JNO. P. CRAWFORD (Re-election)

TALK IS CHEAP.

If you haven't sense enough to appreciate your rights and privileges, vote for their charter which gives them a clear bill of sale to you. Stamp this attempt at gag-rule with your disapproval by voting against their charter.—Citizens Gazette.

The above paragraph sounds very much like some of the arguments the Guthrie State Capital used in the present constitution of Oklahoma, but like the Capital they offer no proof of how gag rule will be applied. Show us one of those bills of sale, please.

Registration Blanks.

Voters can get registration blanks at the following places:

First Ward—C. A. Powers at City Hall.

Second Ward—J. C. Van Meter at Dorland hotel.

Third Ward—J. T. Reeds grocery store.

Fourth Ward—Smith's furniture.

You can register on any day up to and including election day.

A. R. SUGG,
Sec'y. County Election Board.

That Commission Form Recall Canard

Some days since a local paper set afloat the story that Enid was preparing to "recall the Commission Form of City Government." Owing to the nature of the question involved the item was reprinted all over the United States and is now being used as a stock argument by those who oppose the commission form of city government.

Inasmuch as any proposition to recall the Commission form would be beaten three to one in Enid the publication of the item merely resolves itself into a piece of short-sighted mischief which serves no good purpose but is positively harmful to Enid and to the believers in the Commission Form all over the United States.

It is regrettable that any newspaper would be so vicious as to misrepresent its community by spreading broadcast a harmful and untruthful canard.—Enid Events.

He Made the Round.

In speaking of somebody an orator said: "He has ripped with Euripides, and slipped with Euclid, and camped with Oenarchides."

Report of the Condition of the MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS STATE BANK

at Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, April 18, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$107,138.49
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,509.88
Bills of Exchange	7,772.56
Stocks, Bonds, Warrants, etc.	13,940.92
Furniture and Fixtures	8,496.84
Due from banks	48,440.81
Checks and other cash items	13.67
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,370.14
Cash in bank	14,812.99
Total	\$199,624.88

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$20,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7,986.71
Due to banks	7,562.70
Individual deposits subject to check	184,090.99
Demand certificates of deposit	1,275.00
Time certificates of deposit	16,375.38
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	198.30
Reserved for taxes	687.35
Total	\$199,624.88

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, County of Pontotoc, ss: I, P. Reich, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, so help me God.

H. P. REICH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, 1912.

T. W. BRYDA,
Notary Public.

My Commission expires Feb. 4, 1914.

CORRECT—Attest:

C. H. RIVES,
J. W. ALLEN,
P. F. BRYDA,
Directors.

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PRELIMINARY HEARING

L. O. Harris Held for Killing of Braddy—Attorneys Will Seek Writ of Habeas Corpus.

This morning the preliminary hearing of L. O. Harris, charged with killing Charley Braddy, was held at the court house. The room was packed to its utmost capacity with spectators, even standing room being at a premium. At the conclusion of the hearing Judge Barton remanded the prisoner. This afternoon his attorneys will go to Wewoka and institute habeas corpus proceedings.

At the beginning of the trial this morning the defense asked that the case be taken from Justice Brown and before Justice Harris, the first named being on the list of witnesses for the state. The state objected, and after some parleying it was agreed that Judge Barton hear the case.

R. W. Oakley, a brick mason, who lives at Sulphur, was the first witness. He saw Harris leaning on a cigar case, never saw Braddy enter. Attention attracted by scuffle. At beginning heard one say "Don't use your gun." Was not certain which said it, but on cross examination said he saw Harris's lips moving as if speaking. Both men had hold of gun. First shot fired during scuffle. Witness then ducked behind piano. After shooting was over saw Harris look at Braddy and go out of front door.

J. W. Whitner, traveling salesman for South Bend Watch Co., was in Warren's jewelry store. Attention attracted by shot. Went to front door and could see part of difficulty. Harris was in front with gun in hand. Braddy on his back with hands holding wrist of Harris. Harris fired two wild shots. Saw both fall to floor with Harris on his face and Braddy on his back. Didn't know how they got up, but saw Harris point gun and shoot again.

Bruce Strublefield was in front of M. & P. bank when first shot was fired. Run to door of pool hall and saw men scuffling. Braddy was at Harris's back trying to take gun from him. Harris seemed to be trying to shoot.

L. T. Walters told of the location of the wounds as previously given.

W. W. Sleight had examined two guns in possession of R. E. Duncan. Described one as being an ordinary six shooter with four chambers recently fired, one with shell and the other empty. The second gun was automatic and had not been fired.

R. E. Duncan described the two guns surrendered by Harris.

Van Hennigan had seen Harris late in the afternoon talking with two strangers. One advised Harris to leave, but he declared he would not until he killed the d—d fellow, but no names were called in the conversation. Had hunted for Braddy to tell him he had better go home but could not find him. Braddy had worked for him and was staying with him.

R. N. Houshelt denied having heard Harris make threat to kill Braddy if any trouble ever arose.

Joe Melugin for defense described a gun which had been stolen from his room and then identified the one with which Braddy was killed as being the one.

Bod Dunbar knew of Melugin's loss of gun but denied having said that he had seen Braddy in Melugin's room.

Harry Craft was sitting in a chair on west wall of room when trouble began. Harris was joking and laughing with friends and then leaned on show case. Braddy came in and putting out his left hand towards Harris said: "G—d—, you Harris." Clinch and scuffle followed and shots were fired. Did not see Braddy's right hand.

Lee Driver had seen Braddy between 5 and 6 o'clock Friday and thought he was drinking. Advised him to go home.

Ed Hunter was at Mad-Ox drug store. Went out to curbing. Could see men going around so fast that he could not tell which was which. Thought four shots were fired. Could see them rising to inclined position as last shot was fired.

Sam McDonald, or McDonald, a very important witness, did not appear and could not be found.

Motherhood

The highest point of woman's happiness is reached only through motherhood, in the clasping of her child within her arms. Yet the mother-to-be is often fearful of nature's ordeal and shrinks from the suffering incident to its consummation. But for nature's ills and discomforts nature provides remedies, and in Mother's Friend is to be found a medicine of great value to every expectant mother. It is an emulsion for external application, composed of ingredients which act with beneficial and soothing effect on those portions of the system involved. It is intended to prepare the system for the crisis, and thus relieve, in great part, the suffering through which the mother usually passes. The regular use of Mother's Friend will repay any mother in the comfort it affords before, and the helpful restoration to health and strength it brings about after baby comes.

Mother's Friend

Is for sale at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature.

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

A VOICE FROM INDEPENDENCE, KAS.

Following is an excerpt from a letter written by I. W. W. Crumrine of Independence, Kansas, to C. T. Angell regarding the working of the commission plan of government:

"Five years ago under aldermanic form, the city was \$14,000 behind, four years ago the deficit was \$66,000 and three years ago it was \$94,000. Two years ago, under commission government, it was practically even, last year \$15,000 ahead, making a gain of \$109,000. This year the surplus will be just under \$28,000 or \$11,000 above the year before. I hope the voters of Ada will see the advantage and vote for their interest."

The anti-Akin bill campaign was commenced today in earnest. The students are canvassing the town selling tickets to a series of plays to be given in the auditorium some time within the next month. The first "Hawatha" will be given May 9th. The senior class play and the Comedy of Errors will follow later.



YOU SHOULD BE INTERESTED

in any method that reduces the labors about the household. Electricity saves many steps and is the best servant you could install in your home. A few of the many things you are able to accomplish with the use of electricity besides lighting your home: There is washing the clothes, operating the sewing machine, cooking, baking, heating and ironing. Electricity is no longer a luxury—it's a necessity.

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THE MARVELOUS EDDYS—
THE ROYAL YEDDO JAPANESE TROUPE
And 200 Other Great Acts.
DOUBLE MENAGERIE
Containing Wild Animals from Every Country.

ROYAL ROMAN HIPPODROME.
They show the Olympic and Most Wonderful Performances ever in America. Most Spectacular Science Fictional that Human Eyes Ever Witnessed.

Afternoon at 2. Evening at 7. Grand Free Street Seats at 10c.

EVIDENCE FROM A DENISON BANKER

A few days ago the editor of the News wrote a letter of inquiry to R. S. Legate, president of the National Bank of Denison, concerning the working of the commission plan of government. The News presents the following excerpt from the letter, lack of space precluding its reproduction in full.

"Naturally, we are all 'for' the government. It's an element of human nature that we don't seem to be able to eliminate, and, no matter what may be done, there are plenty of people who could improve on results, but viewing it from the standpoint of a citizen who has actively participated in municipal affairs in his own city for thirty-seven years, I have no hesitation in recommending the Commission Form of Government to every city because my information is that wherever it has been tried, and I have studied reports from many cities operating under this system, extraordinary development has resulted and the political 'boss' has been relegated to the realms of forgetfulness.

Factional differences will of course arise in any event, but the commission form of government is a step forward in civic development and our own experience is that a very much improved condition of affairs has resulted since we adopted it.

"This city has been particularly fortunate in the selection of its council, which has been composed of our very best men, and, under its management, we have acquired the ownership of our water plant and also the means for an inexhaustible supply of water; our streets have been improved by the building of sidewalks, while Main street and several avenues leading to it have been paved, and in general a spirit of progress and development has resulted.

"All this might have been accomplished under the aldermanic system, but it seems that under the commission form a closer business pact is established and an individual responsibility assumed which does not seem possible under the other, resulting in broader development and more satisfactory conditions for the people.

"I have only dealt in generalities in this letter, and, without any criticism to your present form of government, believe that you will make a mistake if you fail to take advantage of the opportunity to try out the commission form.

Assuring you of the pleasure it gives me to serve you, I am, very truly yours,
R. S. LEGATE

CLOSING SPEECHES OF CAMPAIGN

Saturday afternoon the anti-commission men brought up the Roff band to add to the joyousness of the occasion and draw a good crowd for the speaking during the evening. They had declined to agree to a joint discussion, and Mr. Ratliff spoke to the crowd that he would speak Monday evening in favor of commission government. However, as the three speakers of the evening, Messrs. Llenallen, Davis and Roddie finished a comparatively short time and the crowd called for Mr. Ratliff he made a strong appeal for his side, this being the first speech in favor of commission government made during the campaign and it is reported that he carried a good part of the crowd with him.

This evening he will speak again, and if any one cares to reply when he has finished, he has no objection but reserves the right to a rejoinder.

LATER—it is understood that J. W. Dolen will reply to Mr. Ratliff this evening.

This Date in History.
APRIL 29

1803—Sir James Brooke, the adventurous Englishman, who became Rajah of Sarawak, born. Died June 11, 1868.

1805—John Bmsley, chief justice of Canada, died in Montreal. Born in England in 1763.

1825—Public reception of Lafayette in St. Louis.

1861—The Indiana Legislature appropriated \$500,000 to arm the state.

1864—Dr. Abraham Gesner, a distinguished geologist who was the first to introduce the use of kerosene oil in the United States, died in Halifax, N. S. Born in Cornwallis, N. S., in 1797.

1879—Prince Alexander Joseph of Batten berg, elected Prince of Bulgaria.

1880—Gladstone ministry formed in Great Britain.

1906—International exhibition opened at Milan, Italy.

EMPRESS THEATRE

AN EXTRAORDINARY AND REFINED ACT.

"SWOR and GREEN"

THE MUSICAL COMEDY STARS

An act that's worth the price itself. Introducing nothing but the latest songs.

NOTICE—Swor & Green have played all the largest vaudeville circuits in the east and come highly recommended. An act that speaks for itself.

PHOTO-PLAYS FOR TONIGHT:

Pathe's—"UNMARRIED SHAME"—(American.) An exceptional strong drama.

Lubin—"HER UNCLE'S CONSENT"—Featuring Mr. Arthur Johnson. Vitagraph—By special request, a Vitagraph comedy and the "IDEAL DIVERS"—Featuring the champion lady divers of the world.

COMING—TOMORROW NIGHT

Special Feature—SKILL'S masterpiece—"THE TWO ORPHANS" In 3-REEL S-3. From Kate Claxton Authorized version.

"ONE HOUR SHOW"

Music Is by the Empress Orchestra

THAT TALE ABOUT SHERMAN WATERWORKS

The opponents of commission government have been spreading the report that the waterworks system of Sherman, which is under the aldermanic form, has been so well managed that it pays its own way, that of the light and sewerage systems, and a handsome dividend besides. Following is a telegram from B. F. Gafford, three times a member of the legislature from Grayson county. It speaks for itself:

Sherman, Tex., April 29, 1912.

Albert H. Burgess, Ada, Okla.

Commission form rejected twice by small majority. Water department of Sherman does not sustain self and has not for months never had a paved street until we agitated commission form here.

B. F. GAFFORD.

J. P. Norton, of Ada, says: My Kidney and Bladder trouble cured. I suffered severely with kidney trouble for two years, but thanks to Nyal's Kidney Pills, I am well and strong. I take great pleasure in recommending Nyal's Kidney Pills to my friends. You can get them from Gwin & Mays. Sincerely your friend, (Signed) J. P. Norton.

Listen Friends.

I don't want you to read this unless you have confidence in my word. For two years I suffered from a sore on my shin caused by an ax cut. I tried a great many remedies with no results. At last I went to Gwin & Mays, they sold me a box of "Gwin & Mays' Shin Salve," and the second 25c box cured that sore absolutely. I trust that my experience may help other sufferers.

Yours very truly,
LEWIS KEITHLEY.

U-R-Next City Barber Shop

D. A. DORSEY, Prop.

First-Class Work; Guaranteed Haircut. 25c; Shave, 10c.

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One of the most exciting and sensational Western pictures ever staged
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"The Root of Evil"

A decidedly original drama with an unusual story.

To-Night! AT THE DeSota!

THANHOUSER

"My Baby's Voice"

Featuring the THANHOUSER KID, HARRY BENHAM and MISS SNOW. When we state that a picture features the above people, you know that the picture is among the best. The scenes are beautiful—the story one that can't be beat. A THANHOUSER means business for us.

"THE JOY RIDE"

We endeavor to arrange our programs so that they will be suitable to all. Tonight we present a strong drama by the STRONG CO and the above comedy, "The Joy Ride" by a good company. There is class to this program

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ORCHESTRA—playing that SWEET music.

WANTS

FOR SALE—Quick Meal range and child's bed, cheap. Apply at 723 S. Broadway. 20-dtf

FOR RENT—Residence, five rooms and bath, corner Broadway and 15th. Mrs. Browall. 20-dtf

FOR RENT—Four room house west 13th, well good water, barn, \$10.00 per month Mrs. Browall. 20-dtf

FOR SALE OR RENT—A good two-story 12 room house with well, barn and garden, 3 lots, corner 13th and Cherry. See W. C. Rollow. 19-6t

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms. Apply to Mrs. U. G. Winn. 15-tf

WANTED—All kinds of curtains to laundry. Have a stretcher that enables me to fix them up like new ones. Mrs. Sparkman, 605 East Main. 212-dtf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Phone 224. 212-dtf

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, one block from the city hall. Phone 397, Mrs. S. T. Williams 265-tf

While in Holdenville Sunday the News man met up with J. C. Jones, who is now running the Scott hotel. Mr. Jones has lost none of his interest in Ada affairs and subscribed for the News to keep informed.

The News Shop for Job Work.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS
Are one of the most beautiful
fowls and winner egg layers
known. Eggs \$1.50 per setting.
JOHN THURASHER
611 W. Third St. Ada, Okla.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ADA ADA, OKLA., APRIL 18, 1912

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$184,437.02
Overdrafts	866.99
Bonds, Securities, etc.	26,388.22
United States Bonds	17,500.00
Bank Building, Furniture and Fixtures	17,190.44
Other Real Estate	1,000.00
Cash on hand and with other banks	122,926.21
TOTAL	\$370,305.88
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	15,540.94
Circulation	17,500.00
Reserved for Taxes	795.35
Deposits	276,469.59
TOTAL	\$370,305.88

The above statement is correct.

M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier

"Ford" will save you money on your plumbing work. Estimate free. 7-12t

Col. J. M. Taylor spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. Ollie Gay was down yesterday from Holdenville.

See B. B. Howard for all kinds of tin work. Phone 256 166-dtf

E. L. Steed went to Tupelo today. County Surveyor Truitt left today for Stonewall and Franks.

Always got all kinds of paint at lowest prices at Dr. Holley's Drug Store. 229-tf

Mrs. W. E. Allen of Bromide, Ok., visited Miss Clyde Allen yesterday. Percy Simpson was a Konawa visitor yesterday.

Mrs. O. W. Morgan returned yesterday from an extended visit to Cooper, Texas.

Sign painter's muslin at Ada Trading Co. 4-tf

Misses Carmer Dallas of Konawa, Corrine Hardin and Miss Kennedy of Tecumseh visited the normal Saturday.

Miss Bernice Williams who taught in the city schools this year returned to her home in Bentonville, Ark., via Paris, Texas.

The News Shop for Job Work

Warning!

Do not throw away your old clothing when you can trade them on a new suit or sell them for cash. We buy, sell and exchange new and second hand clothing. WE PAY TOP PRICES.

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PRESSING
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118 South Broadway

The Lyric air dome opens this evening. Read its program.

For Quick Messenger Delivery, on bicycle, phone 326 or 16. CARLOS BRENTS. 19-3t

While at Holdenville Sunday the News man had the pleasure of dining with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White, who recently moved from Ada. Mr. White and Mr. Shaw are building up a good business in their new store there.

You Should Vote

In the way that will bring the most good to the most people, without regard to selfish interest. But buying goods is a different matter. In private affairs you should consult your own welfare. When buying Dry Goods your Own self interest demands that you investigate OUR Goods and prices.

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OUTFITTERS TO THE WHOLE FAMILY.

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TELEPHONE 473.

Rinard can fill your wants in staple and fancy groceries. Give him a trial. 19-tf

Mike Cassidy, Fred Gay, Cesta Gay, Yandell Linn and Mr. Woods went to Francis yesterday.

Ask for Gwin's Favorite Cream—25c and 50c. 303-tf

Tom Roff spent Sunday in Roff. Mr. Gish of Francis was in Ada yesterday.

If you will investigate you will find that Rinard has an up-to-date stock of groceries. 19-tf

Miss Helen Myers spent Sunday in Ahloso.

Miss Ruby Baker returned last night from Stonewall.

Finest line of Chocolates in Ada at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Miles Grigsby is unable to be at his station on the News force today on account of illness.

Rev. Brooks will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Sulphur High school.

Miss Diamond who spent the week end with Miss Fausta Durham returned to her home in Holdenville yesterday.

Attend the entertainment at the city hall tonight. Benefit of the Methodist parsonage fund. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

Rev. T. P. Turner presiding elder of the Durant district and Rev. Jas. W. Rodgers of Madill are guests of Rev. Brooks.

The weather forecast for today was fair and cloudy weather promised for Tuesday. Evidently the guesser got his dates mixed.

Good farm for sale close in to Ada. Three miles. Two sets houses, good water. Will sell at a bargain and give good terms. See F. O. Harris, over Rollow building. 310-dtf

Word came this morning that Mrs. A. K. Boggs, wife of a well known conductor on the Frisco, was drowned Sunday near Monnett, Mo., while attempting to cross a swollen stream.

Attention Royal Arch Masons. There will be a called convocation of Ada Chapter No. 26 R. A. M. on Tuesday evening the 30th, at 7 o'clock p. m. sharp for work in the mask and past master degrees. A full attendance is desired and all visiting companions are cordially invited. F. C. SIMS, H. P.

D. W. SWAFFAR, Sec'y. Two cents per pound for clean cotton at the News office.

DAUGHTER OF JUDGE AND MRS. GRIGSBY

Saturday evening little Marguerite, the five-year-old daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. E. Grigsby, died of acute pneumonia. The little one was taken ill about twelve hours before her death, and the suddenness of the shock completely prostrated the family. The funeral and interment took place Sunday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. A. M. Dupree. Death indeed leaves a shining mark, and often plucks from the garden the fairest flower of the home. The parting brings anguish, but the hope of a bright reunion in a better world sustains the sorrowing ones even in their darkest hours.

The News joins the other friends of the family in extending sympathy, barren though it be in the hour of sorrow when words only sound hollow.

Sunday was Educational Rally day at the First Methodist church. At the morning hour Dr. R. S. Iyer delivered a most remarkable address on Christian Education. At the evening hour Dr. S. F. Goddard delivered an address on the same theme. Dr. Iyer is president of the Southern Methodist university at Dallas. Dr. Goddard is president of the Methodist college at Muskogee.

An Unusual Amount of Painting Done This Spring.

"Everything comes to those who hustle while they wait" seems to be the motto adopted by our energetic merchants. Ramsey Drug Co., for they have certainly been hustling this spring.

In backing up their excellent advertising in the columns of the Evening News their handsome window displays have proved most effective. According to a conversation with one of our reporters there has been an unusual amount of painting done in Ada, Okla. this spring. That's a sign of prosperity we're very glad to see.

This week floor paint is the leader in their window. How an old scratched floor or a marred bare floor can be given a hard, serviceable, easily-kept-clean surface is, clearly shown by the sample they display.

Attend the entertainment at the city hall tonight. Benefit of the Methodist parsonage fund. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

To Our Neighbors.

We desire to extend our thanks to our neighbors who so generously and kindly rendered their assistance and extended their sympathies during the brief illness and burial of our little daughter Marguerite.

No sentiment is more touching and deserving of appreciation than that which springs from the pure and unselfish regard and respect one's neighbors have for him. We would rather have the respect and genuine good will of our neighbors than any other thing we know of. Some how we have it written in our philosophy that those little kindnesses budding in the heart, expanding and bounding into spontaneous acts of unbridled sympathy will reach a great way in estimating our true worth. Again allow us to sincerely thank you.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. GRIGSBY.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and laws of the State of Oklahoma, and an ordinance passed and approved by the Mayor and City Council on the 1st day of April, 1912, there will be held in the City of Ada, Oklahoma, a special election on the 30th day of April, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City, the question:

"Shall the City of Ada adopt the Charter prepared and proposed by the Board of Freeholders heretofore elected on the 14th day of January, 1912, and published in the Ada Weekly News, a weekly newspaper, for three consecutive issues, beginning on the 21st day of March, 1912, and ending on the 4th day of April, 1912." Said question shall be placed upon separate ballot and voted upon at said election.

Said election shall be held at the following places, to-wit:

First Ward at City Hall.
Second Ward at Ada National Bank Building.
Third Ward at Travelers Hotel.
Fourth Ward at Collins Concrete Building, 12th street.

The following named judges and clerks for each of said polling places are hereby appointed to conduct said election:

First Ward—J. T. Higgins and E. R. Banks, Judges; and John W. Beard and B. E. Timberlake, Clerks.
Second Ward—J. H. Wood and J. C. Van Meter, Judges; and R. E.

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No young lady can complete education now without a companion in music on a PIANO

We have a houseful of all grades of Pianos as low as \$25 down and \$8 per month.

111 W. MAIN L. T. Walters.

The Reason

We can truthfully say Our Business Has Shown Phenomenal Increase the past year that we doubt being another business of any kind in the city that equal our record.

Now There Is a Reason for This That Explains Itself.

If we had not sold Honest Goods at Honest Prices polite and prompt attention, we could not have shown gain. At our store your prescriptions will be filled by a man of good habits, experience and thorough knowledge of his profession.

OUR MOTTO:
"Only the Best"

Your friends are our customers, why not You? Get it

Jones Drug Company

The Cheerful Corner Drug Store.

ADA, OKLA. 1912

Condensed Statement of Merchants & Planters State Bank ADA, OKLAHOMA at the Close of Business, April 18, 1912.

Loans and Discounts	\$107,138.49	Capital Stock	-
Overdrafts	549.68	Surplus	-
Warrants	13,940.32	Undivided Profits Less Expenses Paid	-
Furniture and Fixtures	2,495.84	Reserved for Taxes	-
(Advanced on Gr. in)	2,000.00	DEPOSITS	-
(Bill of Exchange, Cotton)	7,772.84		
(Cash and Sight Exchange)	64,607.11		
	74,379.95		
	\$199,524.88		

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT.

C. H. RIVES, President.

H. F. REICH.

Blanks and S. W. Hill, Clerks.
Third Ward—Martin Hively and A. J. Deaton, Judges; and John H. Jones and J. C. Chapman, Clerks.
Fourth Ward—G. P. Carney and W. H. Fisher, Judges; and R. O. Wheeler and H. A. Sprague, Clerks.
The polls at said election shall be opened at the hour of Six O'clock in the forenoon of said day at the hour of Seven O'clock in the afternoon of said day.
Given under my hand and the City of Ada, Oklahoma, 18th day of April, A. D. 1912.
(Seal) S. E. CHAPMAN
Attest: W. B. JONES, Clerk
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THE TESTIMONY OF CITIZENS

City Administration on Business Bas-
 is—No Comparison With Old
 System.

Ever since the fight for commission government opened the opposition has very generally admitted that although it might be preferable to the aldermanic form in large cities, in smaller places it is necessarily a failure on account of the added expense. Being anxious of ascertaining the exact facts in the matter, the editor of the News went to Holdenville Saturday afternoon for the purpose of getting information first hand. The new form took effect about a year ago, and although the writer talked with the most representative men of the city not one was found who would talk for a minute about going back to the old form. One man said that the only thing he could object to under the present form was the fact that commissioners were inclined to be too economical.

The charter of Holdenville provides for three commissioners with the same official designations as those in the Ada charter. They are paid a salary of \$1,200 each. The writer asked particularly about the additional help employed and found that the entire force of assistants consisted of just one man, who for a salary of \$60 per month acts as clerk for all three, aids with collections and other duties. That does not well match the fairy tales that have been told at Ada about the great clerical force that the commissioners will employ. Of course the new system has been in force for only a year, but the results accomplished during this time have been sufficient to give the people of the city ample confidence and pride in its achievements.

The writer called at the city hall and interviewed L. Walker, city attorney, and W. R. Scott, commissioner of finance. Mr. Walker gave a glowing account of what the commissioners had done. When they took charge they found an old warrant indebtedness of \$10,800 with pending claims amounting to \$2,300 more. The city warrants were a drug on the market at 10 and 20 per cent discount, yet, in this short period of time the credit of the city has been restored and confidence has been created to an extent that every bank in Holdenville takes up the warrants at par, a statement borne out by the bankers themselves. "The great trouble under the aldermanic form," said Mr. Walker, "was that the work and responsibility was so badly scattered that it was not looked after properly. Often it was impossible to get a quorum of the council, and even then it was hard to get action. Now since the commissioners have taken charge, they are always right there on the job and with the entire responsibility on their shoulders, they know they must act and they never hesitate. The commissioners work hand in hand with the chamber of commerce and some effective results are being brought about."

Mr. Scott with becoming modesty did not boast of the work of himself and colleagues, but gave a few results accomplished. Not only did they make provision for taking care of the city's back indebtedness, but they also managed to reduce the tax levy very materially. Last year under aldermanic form the city and school tax rate totaled 22 1-4 mills. This year it is 15 1-2 mills, and the city is not running behind, either. As an example of their economical administration, the commissioners managed to get a new contract out of the light company whereby the city now pays \$2,000 per annum for lights against \$2,700 under the old regime. The water department was in bad shape, many being two and even three years delinquent. The commissioners lost no time in collecting up this back rent. The waterworks system is now in splendid shape, declared both Mr. Walker and Mr. Scott, and for the first time in history is more than self-sustaining. Even the dog tax ordinance has been enforced, and instead of about \$10 under the old form, the commissioners have already collected \$145 and killed 56 dogs.

Of course opponents of commission government will say that Mr. Scott being a commissioner and Mr. Walker being an appointee are not unpre-

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advised witnesses, so we will now turn to the private citizens among the representative men of the town.

R. M. McFarlin, who is one of the largest property owners and tax payers of Holdenville, was one of the prime movers for the charter form. He saw that something was needed to bring order out of chaos and after giving the matter close study, circulated the petition for the charter. He

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admitted that he did not get the most elected as commissioners that he wanted, but at the same time he says they have made good and that he is more firmly convinced than ever that it is the only form of government. "I would not swap it for anything," he declared. "Even a poor commission is better than the old order of things. I have not heard a word against the present form."

John Gilliland, president State National bank: "You will make no mistake in adopting the commission form. It is the logical plan and if it is not a success it is the fault of the people themselves. We get results a great deal better than under the aldermanic form."

Dr. J. D. Scott: "Am highly pleased and haven't heard a man kick against it."

A. J. Edmonston, abstractor: "Am well pleased; it works fine. If there is any complaint it has been kept quiet."

C. C. Leach, register of deeds and candidate for sheriff: "It is all right and giving good satisfaction."

G. L. Benson, cashier Farmers State bank: "It is O. K. I would fight a great deal harder against going back to the old form than I did for the adoption of the commission plan."

L. T. Sammons, president of the American National Bank: "Finest thing I ever saw. The city's business is now run just like that of a bank. I think, however, that the salaries of the commissioners should be \$1,800 per annum to always insure getting good business men." Mr. Sammons is one of the board of inspectors who examines and checks up the books of the commissioners every quarter and makes a public report of its findings. Senator Warren: "Am well satisfied and have not heard a complaint."

Dr. J. P. Williams: "I endorse it heartily."

J. R. Dutton, druggist: "It is the only form of government for a town." J. D. Boxley, real estate: "Very satisfactory. It is all right."

N. B. Fagin, president First National bank: "The city is under a business management under commission form, and is not under the old form. I would not go back to it at all."

W. M. Taylor, grain dealer and member of city council for several years: "No comparison between the forms. Would not go back at all."

T. T. Godfrey, ex-president First National bank: "No question about commission form being better than the aldermanic. I think perhaps the present commissioners may have been a little too economical sometimes."

W. S. Levan, city clerk, also spoke highly of the working of the system, but of course the opponents of the plan at Ada will say he is not a competent witness.

TIMBERLAKE COMES BACK

(Continued from page 1.)

16 years of age and has been very closely connected with the city government of Ada for the past eight years. His information has come first hand, furthermore his only desire in this discussion is to let the voter know the truth about the cost under the charter.

Citizen has studied the arrangement for this department carefully and unhesitatingly states that with present volume of business, after the department with proper system has been installed the business can be handled by a \$1,500 man. (Now mind your charter names a salary of \$1,500 and attempts to provide duties accordingly.) I have made no provision for assistant here for I do not think he will need it except occasionally some help from a stenographer in the matter of getting up reports and the like. The additional help spoken of by Mr. Beard as being required at present will take care of this.

One of the articles wants information on the estimated savings of \$480 in water works department. I rather expect I have placed this low, and it saved it is due entirely to our most excellent charter. The commissioner of finance and accounting is required to collect the revenues in the water department and keep records for the department. Now at present this work is done by bookkeeper at so much per hour or by the superintendent who is drawing \$85.00 per month. Now look Mr. Beard, this commissioner is also the \$720.00 man which we all know it will be necessary to have at the waterworks office at all business hours, fits in pretty well when you know how to do it. Does it not?

Now I agree with you that the last department is the most important to the taxpayer and while it may not show any big saving as operated under the charter so far as actual salaries paid, the biggest saving in all the city's business can be made right here in the operation of the waterworks department, street department and engineering department.

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about \$600 for city engineer. Let me ask you both a question. Do either one of you know anything more about the duties of this department requiring technical ability, than the "man in the moon?" Now that is simple; answer it. You were so positive about this that I thought I had better brush up for frankly I had in mind that \$250 would cover this cost. Not for a man's while time, but for such time as the city required. Now I submitted the following question to our city engineer: "How much of your time is taken up with technical work that a man of ordinary intelligence could not perform?" His answer was, "Not to exceed, at the very outside 20 per cent."

Oh! you are both great investigators. Now as to the \$600 estimated in street commissioner's department I will allow you that rather than go into any further discussion.

Now I could bring up several items more that justify me in making the statement that the city can save under the charter at least \$2000 on expenses as handled under the aldermanic form for the past year.

Now gentlemen both of you know that there is no sense in raising such a howl about assistants when the commissioners would have no more powers along that line than the council has at present.

I had hoped that "Business Manager" gave me credit for more sense than to resign a good position to run for one that paid no better, at least,

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The Divorce Cure

Miss Evelyn Francis is featured in this picture. Here is a picture that will give the newly married, and some of the old as well, a good pointer on how to prevent divorce. The first scenes of this picture shows New York Harbor and the Statue of Liberty as seen from an ocean liner.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

A. C. Bray was in Roff yesterday.
Loose leaf ledger is a Holley's 229-11.

H. C. Thompson returned to Seminole this morning.

Rooms with or without board 223 Cherry. 12-11

A. B. Goldwasser made a business trip to Hotchkissville this morning.

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Ada, Okla.

Almond Terry of Konawa was in Ada Monday.

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Mr. Gish returned to Francis yesterday.

An act that speaks for itself. Swor and Green, Empress theatre tonight.

J. W. Prentz and father went to Konawa yesterday.

New Wall paper coming in all the while at Holley's 229-11

J. A. McClure made a business trip to Coalgate this morning.

Finest line of Chocolates in Ada at the Model Confectionery. 196-11

Prof J. Wilbanks returned Monday from Coalgate where he has been conducting music classes.

One of the most refined vaudeville acts, Swor and Green, Empress Theatre tonight

Two cents per pound for clean cotton rags at the News office.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ADA ADA, OKLA., APRIL 18, 1912

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$184,437.02
Overdrafts	26,885.99
Bonds, Securities, etc.	17,500.00
United States Bonds	17,500.00
Bank Building, Furniture, and Fixtures	17,190.44
Other Real Estate	4,000.00
Cash on hand and with other banks	122,926.21
TOTAL	\$379,305.88
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	15,540.94
Circulation	17,500.00
Reserve for Taxes	795.35
Deposits	276,469.59
TOTAL	\$379,305.88

The statement is correct. M. D. TIMBLAKE, Cashier

Miss Orle Wilson, who was there on a visit to Mrs. McMillan returned to Francis this morning.

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Mrs. Geo. Thompson returned yesterday from Tishomingo where she visited her daughter.

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One of the best photo plays, special feature Two Orphans, 3 reels. Empress theatre tonight.

Mrs. W. T. Cox has gone to Texas and will have an operation performed on her eyes.

Swor and Green, who are appearing at the Empress, attracted much attention last evening. Their musical and dancing comedies are along a line altogether different from anything seen at Ada theatres. The picture program of this evening will be the "Two Orphans." Selig's masterpiece. It consists of three reels, 3,000 feet altogether.

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Rev. S. B. Damron went to Stone- wall this morning where he will conduct services during the remainder of the week.

S. L. Hostetter returned this morning from a trip to his home at Yukon. This section has suffered severely from cyclones lately, one having visited it on each of the last two Saturdays.

Mrs. Markham who lives on East 15th street, had the misfortune to break off a needle in her hand this morning. The surgeons have been unable to locate it and may require an X-ray examination to determine its position.

This evening the Majestic will present two very fine pictures. The first is one of Edison's masterpieces, entitled "For the Commonwealth," being a strong educational feature showing the solution of the prison labor problem. Absorbing interest throughout. The other is "His Chance to Make Good," being the story of a terrible struggle by an ex-convict to regain a hold upon life.

Roosevelt created the Ananias club and has elected many of his enemies to membership. Now Taft declares Teddy the high priest of the whole crew and Teddy also insists that he is one of the grand moguls of the other. The News adheres to its original contention that both are right.

Between Wilson and Underwood.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 29.—In the state-wide democratic primary tomorrow the voters of Florida will record their preferences for nominees for the presidency, for the governorship and other state offices, for nominees for representatives in congress and for the legislative and minor offices. The contest for the presidential endorsement will be confined to Woodrow Wilson and Oscar W. Underwood. They are the only names that will appear on the ballot. Most interest centers in the contest for the governorship, for which there are five aspirants. They are Cromwell Gibbons of Jacksonville, Park M. Trammell of Lakeland, John W. Watson of Miami, William H. Milton of Marianna and E. M. Semple of Key West. Each of the three present representatives in congress is a candidate for renomination and each has opposition in addition there are four candidates for congressional at-large.

Listen Friends

I don't want you to read this unless you have confidence in my word. For two years I suffered from a sore on my shin caused by an accident. I tried a great many remedies with no results. At last I went to Gwin & Mays' Skin Salve, and the second 25c box cured that sore absolutely. I trust that my experience will help other sufferers, and I am sure it will. Yours very truly, LEWIS KENTHLEY.

FAIR-SIZED VOTE BEING POLLED TODAY

Considerable interest has been manifested in the charter election today, both sides doing considerable quiet work. The voters have been dropping in rapidly, and at 3 o'clock 440 votes had been cast as follows: First Ward, 122; Second, 84; Third 103; Fourth 127. When the polls close at 7 o'clock the total will probably be somewhere near 600.

Of course it is impossible to forecast the result with any degree of accuracy, but the advocates of the charter are estimating their majority from 100 and upward.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT THE CITY HALL

The entertainment at the city hall given last evening for the benefit of the Methodist parsonage, was a thorough success in every particular. The performers did their parts most excellently and all deserve praise for their thoroughness. The attendance was gratifying, the receipts amounting to over \$30.

ANOTHER BRICK BUILDING ON WEST 12TH STREET

Although many contended months ago that there was a surplus of business buildings in Ada all new ones have been filled as rapidly as completed and others are still under way. E. S. Collins is having a one story brick 30x60 feet erected on West 12th adjoining his concrete building erected a year ago. It replaces the old barn and improves the appearance of the street a great deal. W. M. Cooper has the contract for the work, and has the walls almost completed.

Wedding in Naval Circles.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 29.—A wedding of interest in naval circles took place in Philadelphia this afternoon, the bride being Miss Pauline Persons, daughter of Captain Romus Charles Persons, in charge of the naval hospital in this city, and the bridegroom, Lieutenant David McDougal le Breton, U. S. N. After a two months' tour of Europe the couple will take up their residence in Boston, where Lieutenant le Breton is at present attached to the Charleston navy yard.

Taft succeeded in capturing most of the Iowa delegation and needs only a few more votes to assure his nomination. Meantime Clark is sawing wood and piling up a good string of delegates that adds to his chance of securing the Democratic nomination, and with Taft as an opponent, Champ will drive to the White House next March behind a team of Missouri mules.

Attention W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. R. O. Wheeler Wednesday May 1, at 3 p. m. All members are urged to be present, and any one interested in the work is invited. SECY.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ADA NATIONAL BANK,

At Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, April 18, 1912.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$195,812.84
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,280.03
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	14,400.55
Banking house furniture and fixtures	11,222.80
Other real estate owned	2,000.00
Due from national banks (not re-serve assets)	4,066.78
Due from approved reserve agents	4,168.29
Checks and other cash items	62.47
Notes of other National Banks	410.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	609.54
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, by Specie	\$5,456.31
Legal-tender notes	1,040.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (3 per cent of circulation)	625.00
Bills of Exchange	100.00
TOTAL	\$195,812.88
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,910.95
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Due to other National Banks	4,230.87
Due to approved Reserve Agents	4,168.29
Individual deposits subject to check	73,263.25
Demand Certificates of Deposit	885.00
Time certificates of deposit	13,336.87
Cashier's checks outstanding	75.00
Notes and bills re-accounted	4,000.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposits & money borrowed	22,500.00
TOTAL	\$195,812.88

State of Oklahoma,
County of McIntosh

I, Orville Sneed, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this 18th day of April 1912.
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The next regular meeting of the Young Men's Democratic Club of Ada, will be held at the court house Tuesday evening, May 7th at which time the following program will be rendered:

ADDRESSES.

The Wages of Republicanism is Death—Hon. Tom D. McKeown.
Thomas Jefferson—Hon. C. A. Galbraith.
Beauties of Democracy—Miles Griggs, Jr.
Selected—William Edwards.
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Creed of T. R.

Following is the creed of the followers of a certain politician, who is making a big noise just now. It comes from a speech by John Sharp Williams, the noted senator from Mississippi.

"I believe in Theodore Roosevelt, maker of noise and strife, and in ambition, his only creed (my Lord). He was born of love of power, and suffered under William H. Taft. He was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into Africa. The third year he rose again from the jungles, and ascended into favor, and sitteth of the

right hand of his party, whence he shall come to scourge the lashed and the dead.

"I believe in the Outlook, the big stick, the Annals Club, the forgiveness of political activity, the resurrection of presidential ambitions, and the third term everlasting. Amen, amen, amen."

A prudent mother is always on the watch for symptoms of worms in her children. Pale face, lack of interest in play and peevishness is the signal for WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. A few doses of this excellent remedy puts an end to the worms and the child soon acts naturally. Price 50c per bottle. Sold by the Ramsey Drug Company.

A Good Revival.

The revival being conducted by Rev. Mike Cassidy of Ada, is growing in interest each day and the attendance is also increasing at each night service. Bro. Cassidy is a strong, forceful, earnest speaker and has laid the foundation for a successful meeting. Much good is already manifest. Several souls have been led to Christ and many back-sliders have been reclaimed.—Allen Hustler.

Grady Mathews, captain of E. C. N. football team 1910 and 1911 came in yesterday. He has been teaching in the southern part of the state.

Report of the Condition of the MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS STATE BANK

At Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, April 15, 1912.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts \$107,138.49
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 2,569.68
Bills of Exchange 7,772.84
Stocks, Bonds, Warrants, etc. 13,940.92
Furniture and Fixtures 3,495.84
Due from Banks 44,430.41
Checks and other cash items 83.97
Exchanges for Clearing House 1,710.14
Cash in bank 14,812.50
Total \$199,524.88

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid 350,000.00
Surplus Fund 1,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 7,996.71
Due to Banks 7,322.70
Individual deposits subject to check 135,096.96
Demand certificates of deposit 1,275.00
Time certificates of deposit 15,375.36
Cashier's Checks Outstanding 168.80
Reserve for losses 587.35
Total \$199,524.88

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, COUNTY OF PONTOTOC, ss: I, H. P. REICH, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. P. REICH, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, 1912.
T. W. BRYDIA, Notary Public.
My Commission expires Feb. 6, 1915.

C. H. RIVES, R. W. ALLEN, F. F. BRYDIA, Directors.

CLOSING SPEECHES OF CHARTER CAMPAIGN

The commission campaign closed Monday evening with a round of speeches by E. S. Ratliff, J. W. Bolen and R. M. Roddie. Mr. Ratliff put up a strong defense of the charter, and the other two were as strongly against the whole plan. Mr. Ratliff dwelt almost altogether on the provisions of the instrument, and enumerated twenty-seven checks placed on the commissioners by the charter, all of which he showed to be most salutary. He gave some interesting facts about the working of the alienation form, showing its cumbersome methods and loose manner of transacting business which can not well be remedied without a change in system. He tore to pieces most of the arguments that had been advanced, and called the opposition down on many statements made in the "Gizzard," as he called the opposition paper.

He was followed by Mr. Bailey, an attorney from Holdenville, who in a brief talk told of the success the commission plan had been in his town.

J. W. Bolen then mounted the box and covered much of the same ground as on the occasion of his first speech a week before, denouncing the commission plan as a king government originated by the corporations and declaring that the people would be oppressed under a tyranny equal to that of ancient days.

Mr. Ratliff replied to him, covering the points raised by Mr. Bolen.

R. M. Roddie then spoke for about thirty minutes in opposition to the charter, and Mr. Ratliff replied to him. It was about midnight when the crowd dispersed. All speakers were given close attention and were frequently applauded.

Coming With Howe's Great London Circus.

The shake-ups to the nerves, the rag-time beat of your heart, the fear that someone will be hurt, with the accompanying apprehension that the may not, all of this—and this is the delight of the Great London Circus, to be here tomorrow must be given by the professionals who shake dice for their lives with fortune every performance.

The Great London Circus is high hygiene. It is a Yankee Doodle circus for Yankee Doodle kids from "six" to "sixty." One of the big acts is the original Zaffretta family. What this wonderful family do looks easy. Suppose you try it, and newspapers will write a story about it, with diagram showing the place where your body struck.

Another of the best-ever acts is the leaping contest. Fifty leapers take part. Charles Rankin is the champion and does a double somersault over elephants, camels and horses. Marie McPhail, Riding Wallets and many other big acts are presented in many new riding stunts.

You will see the Ben Hur herd of Arabian stallions and the Black Hussar horses perform. They prove what a perfect world this would be if all men had as much intelligence as horses. You will see elephants waltz, teeter, play hide and seek, and undress and go to bed like people. You will see dog shows and mule shows and countless clowns. The Howe Circus is a great show, presenting magnificent good old barbarous sport that makes you happy in feelings that civilization has not eliminated. All the traits your grand-dads of the stone age left you as a message. The 25,000 Dublin Gray horses are also coming and they are a show in themselves.

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Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of A. B. Goldwasser, Ada, Okla. In Bankruptcy, No. 731. To the Creditors of A. B. Goldwasser, of Ada, Pontotoc County, said district, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of April, 1912, the said A. B. Goldwasser was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of J. W. McNeil, in the city of Ada, Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma on Tuesday, May 14th, 1912, at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M., at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact any and all other business that may properly come before said meeting. Dated at McAlester this 29th day of April, 1912.

R. H. MATTHEWS, Referee in Bankruptcy. First Pub. April 30.

DECISION AFFECTS LANDS OF SEMINOLE INDIANS

Washington, April 29.—Another phase of the 30,000 Indian land cases in Eastern Oklahoma was decided today when the United States Supreme court in the case of the government vs John R. Goat and the Deming Investment company held that prior to the act of congress approved April 21, 1904, the freedmen in the Seminole Nation could not convey their allotments of land but that subsequently adult freedmen were permitted to convey their surplus lands. The court decided that the homesteads of adult Seminole freedmen were inalienable until after May 27, 1908.

Today's decision was the third of a series of test cases carried to the supreme court to determine the status of 30,000 land suits in Eastern Oklahoma. Several weeks ago the supreme court sustained the circuit court appeals for the Eighth Circuit and reversed the federal circuit court for the Eastern District of Oklahoma declaring that restricted Indian lands in Eastern Oklahoma were inalienable.

A week ago the court decided that lands of inherited full-blood Indians could be sold, while today's decision holds that the surplus lands of Seminole freedmen can be disposed of. Under the last two decisions several thousand of the suits filed by the government in 1909 will be ordered dismissed.

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